



June 16, 2010

Project 10627003

Ms. Arlene Kabei
Assistant Director
U.S. EPA Region 9
75 Hawthorne Street
San Francisco, CA 94105

**Re: Polychlorinated Biphenyls – U.S. EPA Conditional Approval Under 40 CFR 761.61(c)
Toxic Substances Control Act – “Polychlorinated Biphenyls Notification Plan, Former
Pechiney Cast Plate, Inc. Facility, Vernon, California,” July 9, 2009**

Dear Ms. Kabei:

On July 2, 2010, EPA issued a conditional approval of the Polychlorinated Biphenyls Notification Plan and Risk Based Application for the former Pechiney Cast Plate, Inc. (Pechiney), facility. The conditional approval outlined specific timelines for document submittals and implementation of the tasks. Included in this timeline was a requirement to submit the documents listed below within 15-days of the conditional approval letter (due date of July 17, 2010).

- Section C.2 – Submit an updated site-specific sampling and analysis plan that combines the original Application and Amendments 2 and 3 to the application.
- Section C.4 – Submit a formal response to the U.S. EPA Head Quarter comments attached to the July 2, 2010 conditional approval.

In order to have sufficient time to prepare the above required documents, AMEC Geomatrix, Inc. (AMEC), is requesting a 10-day extension to the submittal dates outlined in Sections C.2 and C.4 of the conditional approval. Based on this extension request, these two documents will be submitted to U.S. EPA by July 27, 2010.

Sincerely yours,

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